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Dear Sir:

Without admission of prior art effect, Applicant calls the Examiner's attention to the references listed on the attached form PTO-1449 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §1.98. This Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted prior to the receipt of a first Office Action pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b)(3).

The following references are hereby made of record:

1. U.S. Patent No. 5,503,785 is made of record.

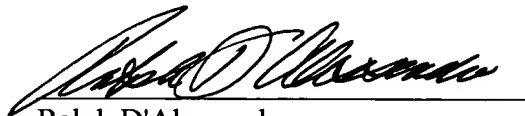
A copy of this reference is included herewith.

The reference included in this IDS, along with the previous prior art documents submitted on October 3, 2001, form the complete set of references known to the Applicant which are

believed to be relevant to the prosecution of the instant application. If additional references are discovered and thought to be relevant, they will be made of record in due course.

Respectfully submitted,  
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